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INTRO

A coon once went to ser-e-nade his lady,
At last de gal she said she'd wed dis nigger,
De bridegroom he came down de aisle a prancin',
Sez

sang her all the love songs dat he knew,
wed din' was t' be er swell af fair,
he: I tolle de man v play dat tune,

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stood out in de dus - ky dark - ness sha-dy, Till
 at de church de folks be gan t' fig-ger, On
 for - ty coons was on his car - cass danc-in', Dere'd

he was al - mos drown - ded wid de dew, But
 jes' de time de coup - le would be dere, De
 been as man - y more if dere was room, De

still he sang, "Thine eyes so blue and ten - der,"
 or - gan den it start - ed up a play - in', "I
 crowd was dis - ap - point - ed bout the wed - din;" The
 For de

love but thee", and "In the gloam - ing" too, And
 wed - din' march of ole man Men - dels sohn, De
 bride - groomsome how'r oth er he was dead, So de

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"An - nie Lau - rie" he was goin' to ren der — When he
 crowd be gan dere ra zors den dis play-in', — Dey
 coon who all de scrap - pin' was a head-in', — Sez

heard a voice a bove say Dat 'll do! "Go run a -
 shout - ed out Dis wed - din' can't go on! "Cut out dat
 Now well hab er fu - ne - ral in stead! "But eb' - ry

long "Wid dat ole song" "Dat mel - o - dy" "Queers you wid
 tune "Dat is' n't coon" "Dat time doan go" "Its to blame
 thing "Yo' play sing" "Must be in rag," "An' doan yo'

me," you see "Dat eb' - ry thing is Rag - time now!
 slow," you know "Dat eb' - ry thing is Rag - time now!
 drag," For eb' - ry thing is Rag - time now!

CHORUS.

Don't yo' sing er play an - o - ther thing but All coons look a

like t me?" Rag - time tune dey fill de coons wid feel - in's ob

glee, Tele - phone ma ba - by, Ma Hon - o - lu lu La - dy we will al-

low, 'Cause eb - rything is Rag - time now!"

Every thing &c-4

